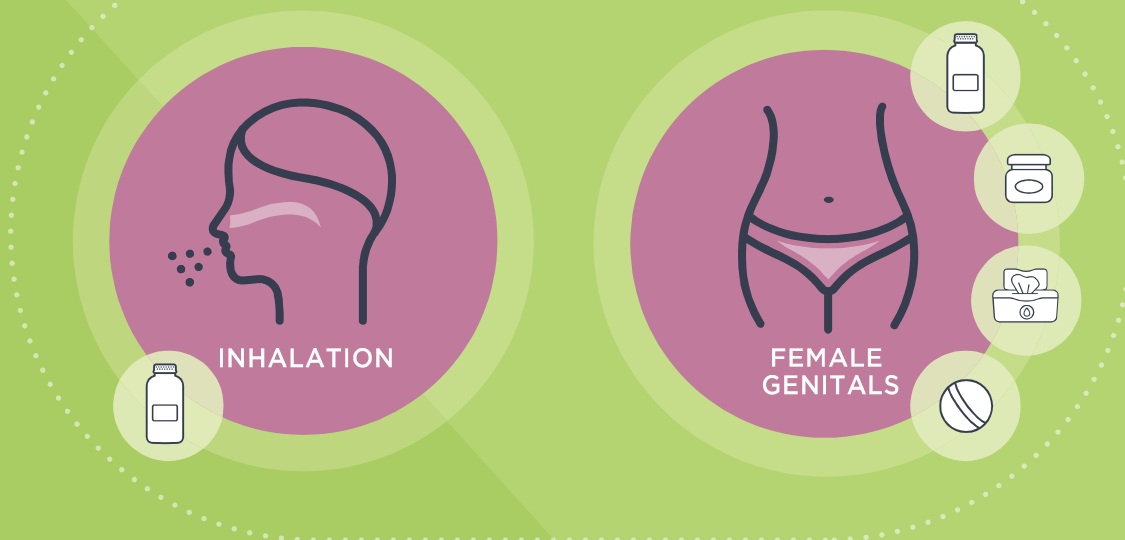


Exhibit A

A DRAFT SCREENING ASSESSMENT OF **TALC** PROPOSES THAT IT MAY BE HARMFUL TO HUMAN HEALTH.

AREAS OF CONCERN



Inhalation of fine particles of **TALC** from loose powder products such as:

- > baby powder
- > body powder
- > face powder
- > foot powder



THESE PRODUCTS
MAY DAMAGE
THE LUNGS

Exposure of the female genitals to products containing **TALC** such as:

- > body powder
- > baby powder
- > genital antiperspirants and deodorants
- > diaper and rash creams
- > body wipes
- > bath bombs



THESE PRODUCTS
MAY CAUSE
OVARIAN CANCER

To **minimize your exposure** to certain products containing **TALC**, you can:

1

**AVOID INHALING
LOOSE TALC POWDER**

2

**AVOID FEMALE GENITAL
EXPOSURE TO TALC**

3

**CHOOSE A TALC-FREE
ALTERNATIVE**

If you are still concerned, speak to your doctor or health care provider.

If the final screening assessment confirms that **TALC** is harmful to human health, the Government of Canada will take action to **manage the risks** identified.

For more information, please visit Canada.ca/Health and search for **TALC**.